ELECTRONIC ACQUISITION

The Headquarters Marine Corps Electronic Acquisition Team's mission is to continue to streamline the acquisition process via the use of electronic business systems. In doing so, the Team represents Marine Corps Field Contracting System and other USMC interests at the Defense Sourcing Portfolio Board (DSPB) level. Its goal is to ensure that Marine Corps needs are met, while cross-Military Department interoperability and effectiveness are also supported.

The Headquarters Marine Corps Electronic Acquisition Team actively participates on all DSPBs with the Marine Corps Systems Command (MCSC) to:

- Ensure that Marine Corps Paperless Acquisition Initiatives align with the Defense Business Systems Management Committee's Business Enterprise Architecture/Enterprise Transition Plan.
- Interface with the MCSC Information Systems and Infrastructure Product Group in order to identify barriers to deployment of new portfolio programs.
- Implement and adopt new enterprise capabilities.
- Identify legacy programs that should be eliminated or replaced.

In fiscal year 2008, new initiatives include the Inter-Governmental Transactions Pilot, Demand Unique Identifier Pilot, transmission of contract data from USMC Standard Procurement System (SPS) sites to the Defense Contract Management Agency (DCMA), Mechanization of Contract Administration System (MOCAS), and transmission of Naval Facilities Engineering Command contract information for USMC funded actions to the Standard Accounting, Budget and Reporting System (SABRS).